huctance. If the present state of things goes on, after awhile Congress will have to feed and diothe the residents of this city. The government aiready expends something like four millions of dollars a year in the city of Washington; it has been paving the streets and lighting them, and has gone to a great expense for water works, and other conveniences for the comfort of the people; and the more Congress does, the more it is asked to do. But he had another objection to the bill, and that was, that they would be obliged to take these hundred additional police officers from the very class of society which commits all these depredations and crimes; they would be men who were the associates of these rowdies, who had family connexions with them, and who sympathized with them. Instead of enforcing law and order, they would be more apt to serven the criminals from pumishment, or to commit similar crimes themselves. It was outly the other day that two men in the employ of the government were shot on Capitol Hill, sind it now turns out that the act was committed by two persons, one of whom is one of the policemen of the city, and still further, that the deed was withessed by another police officer who kept the matter secret for a week or ten days, because he said he was afraid of his life if he told of it. Mr. I thought the only remedy for this condition of affairs would be to make Washington a military post, and his of four or five hundred soldiers stationed here to keep order, who had no associations with the rabbie of this city.

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Mr. HOUSTON said that if the city of Washington should tax like property of the general government within her limits she could pay all the expenses herself for improvements and for preserving the peace; but since the property of the government was exempt from taxation, it was proper that the government should bear its share of expense.

Mr. HALE did not know whether he should vote for the bill or not; he rather thought he should, but he would vote twice as willingly for a bill to remove the wast of recomment to some other place.

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Mr. CRETTENDEN hade some comments on various provisions of the bill, alluding in the course of his remarks to the calling out of the marines at the election in June last, and expressing the opinion that the election in June last, and expressing the opinion that the earlingle-box should not be allowed to come in contact with the ballot box.

Mr. BROWN replied that this bill was designed to prevent the recurrence of such scenes this year.

The question being taken on the amendment of Mr. HENTER, it was not agreed to.

Mr. BROWN moved to add the words "to serve during the night, and in the day time when specially ordered to do so;" which was agreed to.

fund from five thousand to ten thousand dollars; which
was agreed to.
Mr. JOHNSON, of Tennessee, moved to amend the bill
by adding an additional section, authorizing and directing the Secretary of the Interior to levy and collect a tax
upon the real and personal property and polls of the city
of Washington of half the annual expense incurred by
calling out this additional police force. The amendment
was not agreed to.
Mr. REOWN moved to fill the blank in the bill with

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Mr. BROWN moved to fill the blank in the bill with
the sum of seventy-five thousand dollars; which was
agreed to.

Mr. BENJAMIN moved to strike out that section authorising the President on special occasions to call out a
temporary force of two hundred men, to be paid two dollars per day; which was not agreed to.

Mr. JOHNSON, of Tennessee, moved to recommit the
bill to the Committee on the District of Columbia, with
instructions to report a bill to the Senato retroceding the
District of Columbias to the State of Maryland, reserving
the public buildings and grounds, &e., and instructing
the committee to report at the earliest day practicable.

Mr. HALE moved to amend the instructions by striking out the reservation of the public buildings and
grounds; which was agreed to.

The motion to recommit was then rejected.

Mr. CRITTENDEN moved to transfer the appointment
of the chief of the police from the President of the
linted States to the circuit court for the District of Cojumbia. After some delate, the question being taken,
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YEAS-Messrs, Bell, Benjamin, Broderick, Chandler, Clark, Crittenden, Bron, Boolittle, Koster, Hale, Harlan, King, Seward, Strantons, Transbull, Wasle, and Wilson—47.

NAYS-Messrs, Allen, Buggs, Bigler, Belgit, Brown, Cay, Erans, Fitch, Pitzpatrick, Green, Johnson of Arkunson, Johnson of Tomosser, Jones, Kennedy, Malory, Mason, Polk, Pingh, Schastlan, Silstell, Etnart, Thomson of New Jerney, Wilgit, and Yulees—28.

ARSNT OR NAT VITIMI—Masara, Bates, Bayard, Cameron, Collamer, Buist, Boughas, Darkee, Fessenden, Foot, Humin, Henderson, Pearce, Beit, Samner, Thoupson of Kentacky, and Toombs—16.

Mr. STUART renewed the motion made in committee of the whole by Mr. Benjamin, Biggs, Broderick, Chandler, Clark-Crittenden, Dochide, Boughas, Fingatrick, Foster, Hale, Harlan-Houston, Hunter, Johnson of Tennessee, King, Seward, Simmons, Sistell, Stoar, Tromboll, Wisson, and Yulee—24.

YEAS-Messre, Allen, Bigler, Bright, Brown, Clay, Dixon, Feassenden, Filch, Groen, Harmond, Iverson, Johnson of Arkanses, Jones, Kennedy, Malon, Pugh, Sebastina, Thomson of New Jersey, and Wright—21.

ARSNY OR SOV VITING—Messre, Bates, Bayard, Cameron, Collamer, Barie, Darkee, Post, Gein, Harmin, Henderson, Pearce, Polk, Rad, Sumner, Barie, Darkee, Post, Gein, Harmin, Henderson, Pearce, Polk, Rad, Sumner, Barie, Darkee, Post, Gein, Harmin, Henderson, Pearce, Polk, Rad, Sumner, The bill was read a third time and passed by a vote of

yens 34, nays 9, as follows:
YEAS-Mesors, Alben, Benjamin, Biggs, Pigler, Bright, Brown
Jandler, Clark, Clay, Dixon, Eoughas, Evans, Fessenden, Fitch, Foser, Green, Hammond, Rouston, Hunter, Iverson, Johnson of Arkarsas, Jones, Kennosty, Mallory, Manon, Pugh, Sebarthu, Saward, Sin NAYS-Meura, Hell, Broderick, Crittenden, Declittle, Hale, Harla

On motion by Mr. BROWN, the title of the bill wa amended so as to read "for the protection of per property," instead of "for the protection of p private property," &c.

ADMISSION OF OREGON.

Mr. DOUGLAS said that he had been all day trying to get an opportunity to make a report, and, with the permission of the Senate, he would now do so. He then, from the Committee on Territories, reported a bill for the admission of Oregon into the Union; which was read and passed to a second reading; whereupon

The Senate adjourned.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

Mr. QUITMAN, of Mississippi, asked unanimous consent to take from the Speaker's table the amendments of the Senate to the army bill, recently passed by the

House.

Mr. BURROUGHS, of New York, objected.

Mr. QUITMAN moved that the rules be suspended which motion was agreed to—ayes 101, nees 25—two hinds voting in favor thereof.

The amendments were thou taken up; when Mr. QUITMAN states! that the committee were dispose to cousir in all the amendments—eight in number—expections.

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The first three were agreed to without discussion; fourth, roducing the number of regiments for service that to two, causad considerable discussion.

Mr. HUGHES, of Indiana, moved that this amement be amended by increasing the number of regime to five.

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Mr. OTERO, of New Mexico, protested against the giving specially to Texas of a regiment for the protection of her frontiers, whilst New Mexico was left unprotected from Indian hostifities.

Mr. HUSHES then withdrew his amendment.

The question was then taken on agreeing to the fourth amendment; and it was agreed to—yeas 113, nays 102—ss follows.

Mr. HUGHES, of Indiana, moved that the

considered.

Mr. KELSEY, of New York, moved that the neconsider be laid on the table; which motion was loo-yeas 111, mays 100.

The remulting amendments were sgreed to, engith, providing for the appointment by the forcurain officers; which,

On unition of Mr. QUFFMAN, was further am excluding therefrom the words "surgeons and

Mr. LEICHER, of Virginia, under a suspe-ules, introduced the following resolution:

Resolved, That the resolution heretofore adopted closing on House bill No. 350 on Friday last he rescinded, and thate is committee shall be extended until the rising of the morrow, provided that the debate shall be confined to the no member shall be allowed to occupy more than thirty adopter.

lebate.

Mr. SEWARD, of Georgia, moved that the resolution be faild on the table; which motion was not agreed to.

Mr. SEWARD then moved that the House adjourn; which motion was lost.

The resolution was then agreed to—ayes 143, noes 7.

THE UTAH EXPEDITION.

On motion of Mr. LOVEIOY, of Illinois, a resolution was unanimously adopted calling upon the Secretary of War to fornish the House, with the least possible delay, a full and minute statement of all contracts made in contexion with the Utah expedition, the names of the persons with whom such contracts were made, and also the prices paid, or to be paid, for hopes, mules, and supplies, and all other articles furnished for the expedition, and the places where the horses, mules, &c., are to be delivered, and the prices to be paid for the transportation of such supplies, and what contracts have been made without public notice.

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On motion of Mr. BURNETT, of Kentucky, sinder as

On motion of Mr. BURNETT, of Kentucky, under suspension of the rules, the following resolution was agreed to:

THE POLICE OF WASHINGTON.

Mr. GOODE, of Virginia, from the Committee on the District of Columbia, reported a bill to establish an auxiliary goard for the protection of the public and private property in the city of Washington, and repealing all acts heretofore passed in relation to that subject.

[This is the same bill introduced into the Senate several days since by Gov. Brows, of Mississippi.]

Mr. GOODE stated that, as it was important that the bill should be immediately passed, he would ask that all rules interfering with its immediate consideration should be suspended. Murders were daily reported by the papers.

Mr. KELSEY, of New York, objected. He desire Air. RELISTS, of New York, objected. He desired that the bill should be sent to the Committee of the Whole, so that he could offer an amendment providing that the police force shall be appointed by commissioners to be elected by the freeholders of the District.

Mr. GOODE moved that the rules be suspended; which motion was not agreed to—yeas 116, nays 89—two-thirds not voting in favor thereof. The yeas and nays are as follows:

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YEAS—Measrs Adrain, Ahl, Anderson, Atkins, Avery, Barkedale, Bliss, Bocock, Bonham, Bowie, Boyce, Branch, Bryan, Barnett, Burns, Chapman, John R. Clark, Clingman, Cobb, Clark B. Cochrane, John R. Cark, Clingman, Cobb, Clark B. Cochrane, John Cochrane, Corning, Cox, Craig of Missouri, Craige of North Carolina, Carry, Barkison, Ramben Pavis, Dean, Pewart, Dimmitte, Bodd, Dowlell, Edimendson, Elliett, Fanikner, Florence, Foley, Garnett, Carrett, Gillie, Goode, Greenwood, Gregg, Grow, Lavrence W. Hall, Hatch, Hwkins, Hickman, Hopkins, Booston, Bughes, Jackson, Jacett, George W. Jones, J. Glancy, Jone, Owen Jones, Meitt, Kelly, Jacob M. Kunkel, John C. Kunkel, Lamar, Landy, Lawrence, Laday, Letcher, Machay, McQueen, Samuel S. Marchall, Maynard, Miles, Miller, Millson, Montgomery, Monte, Nisheck, Pendetcon, Poyton, Thelps, Paullipe, Powell, Purvaince, Realy, Reagan, Reilly, Roffin, Russell, Saving, Sealer, Sooti, Sording, Henry, M. Shaw, Shorter, Schekes, Singleton, Samuel A. Smilh, William Smith, Stallworth, Scaphens, Stevenson, James A. Stevart, Tallon, Tappan, Gronge Taylor, Micas, Taylor, Chore, Taylor, Charles, Paulling, Marton, Wardy, Marton, Wilke, Wilnickov, Winckov, Woodendy, Key, John V. Wrigle, and Zollheoffer—116.
NAVES—Messes, Abbest, Andrews, Bennett, Billinghurzt, Bingham, Booch, Goodwin, Granger, Roberts, Rahall, Harlan, J. Morrison Harris, Haskit, Hill, Hearth, Jenste, Sarnworth, Feston, Faster, Gilman, Gooch, Goodwin, Granger, Roberts, Rayce, Seward, Aaron Naw, John Sherman, Janeson, Stanton, William Stewart, Taylor, Harris, Haskit, Hill, Hearth, Jance, Jumphrey, Marshall, Maon, Morgan, Morrill, Mward Johy Merris, Isane N. Murris, Oliver A. Morze, Murray, Nichola, Dian, Pather, Parker, Pettly, Pile, Potter, Pottle, Quitman, Reand, Blichie, Robbins, Roberts, Ro

Mr. COLFAX remarked that it might be evident that there were great objections to the bill on his side of the House. He would like to know whether the gentleman would guarantee that the bill would not give them a partisan police. If they were to have a good police, there would be no objection on his side.

Mr. GOODE could not give the gentleman any guarantee, but could say that it was not designed to be of

to bringing any political party of rengion into this question.

Mr. BENNETT, of Kentucky, stated that the bill had been agreed upon unanimously in committee. It was their ebject to give to the city an efficient police without reference to party.

Mr. LEITER, of Ohio, was in favor of postpouleg the bill until an early day next week, or until the deficiency bill should be disposed of.

Mr. GOODE remarked that in the mean time the nurders and outrages would go on.

Mr. LEITER replied that they would average about one and a half a day. They could stand that as they had stood it all along.

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The SPEAKER stated that it would require amanimous consent to make the bill a special order.

Mr. MARSHALL, of Kentucky, objected.

Mr. MORRIS, of Illinois, moved that the whole enbject be laid on the table; which motion was not agreed to—yeas 32, nays 171.

The bill was then referred to the Committee of the Whole on the state of the Union.

On motion of Mr. GOODE, under a suspension of the rules—ayes 123, noes 40—a resolution was adopted making this bill a special order as soon as the deficiency bill shall be disposed of, to be continued from day to-day until disposed of.

THE CHESUS OF 1860. Mr. SHERMAN, of Ohio, offered the following reso

Mr. KEITF, of South Carolina, objected on the ground that the taking of the census was provided for by law.
Mr. SHERMAN, remarking that the law was inefficient, noved the rules be suspended; which motion was not greed to—ayes 103, nocs 80.
Mr. SICKLES, of New York, presented certain just resonations of the legislature of that State; which were reserved to the Committee on Revolutionary Affairs, and refered to be printed.

Mr. FLORENCE, of Pennsylvania, from the select com-mittee to investigate the purchase and sale of Wilkins's Point, submitted the following resolution:

Resolval, That the committee appointed to investigate the facts and iterumatances connected with the sale and purchase of the property st Wilkins's Toint, New York, by the government for fortification per-poses in the year 1887, be authorized to employ a stenographer at the saunt compensation.

objection being made,
Mr. FLORENCE moved that the rules be suspended;
pending which,
At 25 minutes past 3 o'clock, p. m., the House ad-

By Mr. TAYLOR, of New York: The petition of Samuel Gardino of New York; seking the government to purchase his patent for ing on and lighting gas by electricity, i.e.,

By Mr. PHILLIPS: The remonstrance of certain manufacturers of Unideoctylin, against the extension of Compton's patent for it fame; power beams: referred to the Committee on Patents.

A deaf and dumb pupil in Paris was asked "Doth God reason?" . He replied, "To reason is to hesitate, to doubt, to inquire; it is the highest attribute of limited intelligence. God sees all things; therefore, God does

UNITED STATES SUPREME COURT.

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April 5, 1858.—Present—The Hon. Boger B. Taney, Chief Justice; Homs. John McLean, Jas. M. Wayne, John Loanney, John McLean, Jas. M. Wayne, John Loanney, Lanned Nelson, Robert C. Grier, John A. Campbell, Nathan Clifford, Associate Justices.

The commission of William Selden, esq., as marshal for the District of Columbia, was filed and read by the clerk in open court.

No. 70. Francis Warner, plaintiff in error as Cephias H. Norton et al. This cause was argued by Mr. Dickey for the plaintiff in error, and by Mr. Badger for the defendants in error.

Adjöurned until to-morrow at 11 o'clock.

COURT OF CLAIMS.

MOSDAY, April 5.—Judge Gilchrist being still detained from his place on the bench by sickness, the court do-day took up the case of Elliot Woodbury and Ezar Foster et the United States, No. 155 law docket.

The petitioners state that they were the owners of the brig "Casket:" that on the 5th day of August, 1846, whilst engaged in the performance of a lawful contract between her master and a citizen of Brasil, of the port of Kabanda, on the western coast of Africa, she was seized by the United States aloop, of-war Marion, commanded by He intel States many, under the allegation that she was esized by the United States aloop, of-war Marion, commanded by He intel States along the same; that a libel was filed against said vossel by R. M. Bahatoul, jr., United States district attorney, but upon a trial of the cause in December, 1846, the said suit was dismined to the said Simonus for damages on account of said seizure in January, 1847, i COURT OF CLAIMS.

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The case was argued by Mr. Rockwell for the claim ants, and Mr. Blair for the covernment

LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

CITY COUNCILS.—Board of Aldermen.—The board ad-ourned at 8 o'clock without appropriating a dollar, or ransacting any business of public importance.

Common Council.—Communications were received from

the mayor relating to the Eastern Market House; trans-

the mayor relating to the Eastern Market House; transmitting the report of the inspector of fire apparatus, and the account of the corporation of Washington with the Bank of Washington.

Bill to grade and gravel New York avenue, between 10th and 11th streets: passed.

Bill to appropriate \$130 for raising parapets, repairs of guard fences, &c., of soveral bridges over the eastern section of the canal: reported and passed.

Bill to appropriate \$183 41 to pay for school-books and stationery for the third district: passed.

Bill to appropriate \$300 for repairs of 17th street what f: passed.

wharf: passed.

The chair read a communication covering a resolution from a meeting of the citizens in reference to raising a pateol: referred to the committee on police. Mr. Fisher offered the following joint resolution:

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Revolved, That a joint committee, consisting of one
member from the Board of Aldermen and two members
of the Common Council, he appointed to wait on the
Secretary of War, and respectfully urge upon him the
necessity of a re-organization of the militia of the District
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LETURE ON GOLD AND SILVER.—Philharmonic Hall was well filled, last evening, by a highly intelligent audience, to hear J. V. Huntington, eaq., deliver a lecture on the credit and currency systems, or (as he has sometimes called it) on "King Specie and Rag Barons." He commenced with the primitive division of labor, from which arises the system of exchanging the products of labor or trade. From the system of exchanging products of labor arose the necessity of a medium of exchange—the first medium was cattle, or beasts of burden.

Then the precious metals were discovered. Their beauty and their utility, their scarcity and their consequent high value fit them for a medium. Gold and silver possess many properties which make them a universal money, or medium of trade. Paper money is an invention of the Chinese; and the lecturer gave some curious dates and facts, showing the history of Chinese croff-money.

The lecturer then narrated the progress of credit in exchanges—colving money—bills of exchange—the banks of Venice and of Amsterdam—modern banks of issue and government paper money.

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cheapness. For this reason it is sought by new countries, and the history of the United States is also the history of our paper money. From all these facts the lecturer de duced laws affecting the value of money.

He then proceeded to explain how a commercial crisis is brought about by the operation of these laws, when they are disregarded by individuals or by corporate cupidity. The remedy, he explained at length, did not lie in a national bank or in a protective tariff. Beautiful esults might, however, be anticipated from protection obtained by a sound system of currency, as was pointed out in 1837 by Mr. Buchanau and endorsed by Mr. Calhovn. Bank notes should not be allowed in retail trade; this restriction would be sufficient, and not inconvenient. In wholesale trade they would not be injurious.

The lecturer then went on to describe credit as a tific and perfected barter. Banks, he showed, were labor-saving and capital-saving machines, but they should be confined to their legimate sphere. Usury laws were both

absurd and pernicious.

We have only rapidly sketched the leading points of the sketched was listened. this profound and instructive lecture, which was listened to with merked interest.

The Captrol Hill attempt at Assassisation.—Charles Barrett, alias "Squirrel," and Henry Williams have been arrested and committed to jail, on a charge of having committed the murderous and entirely unprovoked assault on Mesers. Here Lowis and Jeane Entwiste, on apitol Hill, on Saturday night, the 27th ult.

Capitol Hill, on Saturday night, the 27th uft.

We have frequently had occasion to comment upon the present police organization of this city, and a strong correloration of our censures is found in the fact that the prisoner Williams has been occasionally acting as a "cubstitute" on the police and on the watch during the past three months, that he was appointed a special policeman on Friday last, and that he was "on duty" when accussed. It is idle for the friends of the present incompetent and inefficient police to now say that they were adout etent and inefficient police to now say that they were adopt petertain memorian poince to now say that they were adopt-ing a "stool pigeon" ruse in having this man appointed on the special police. If they did so, it was a deliberate in-sult to the worthy citizens who have volunteered to act as special policemen to carol among them one known [7] to have committed or to have been accessory to an atro-

The principal witness in the case was one Carrico, a watchman! He, while on day, saw the unprovoked attack upon Messrs. Lewis and Entwisle, and saw Barret fire at Entwisle. Yet, not until large rewards had been offered, could be bear reluctant testimony to the crime which it was his duty to have arrested the perpetrators of. Yet, this unwerthy watchman, who should at once been discharged from duty which he has shown himself. incompetent and unworthy to mifil, is graciously "placed on a different best," where he will not be afraid of getting

rhipped.

It is to be hoped that we shall soon be relieved from This to be hoped that we shall soon on reaction that the second police officers will soon give way to an efficient United States force, and that LAW AND ORDER will again prevail in the part of Fablic 8-mode. BO. RICKETTS, Secretary, force and that LAW AND ORDER will again prevail in the

of crime, compliment the chief of police, and some of those associated with him, and consider that there is no necessity for a thorough, sweeping reform!

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Anorinea Munden, committed without provocation on Saturday night, is a forcible argument in favor of the immediate passage of the new police bill. It appears from the evidence that as Frederick Mayanette and Walter Marcellus Stoops, an essistant messenger in the Treasury Department, were walking in company down New York arenue, about 11 o'clock, and when near Ninth street, young Stoops was stopped by five men. One of them, named William Johnson, caught violent hold of Stoops's shoulder, and commenced an altercation. Mayanette endeavored to pull his companion away, but was immediately knocked down, when Stoops was shot. He died instantly. The wound was in his breast, near the third rib. Deceased was nineteen years of age, and resided

instantly. The wound was in his breast, near the third rib. Deceased was niesteen years of age, and resided with his parents on N street, near Eighth, where his funeral will take place this afternoon, at four o'clock.

William Johnson, George Johnson, Van Lowman Johnson, and Augustus Heissler have been arrested and committed to jail for further examination.

to the advertisement that we are to have the Italian opera here, under the direction of the energetic Max Maretzek. The first performance will be given on Saturday evening, and we doubt not that the theatre will be crowded with a fashionable and music-loving audience.

Costumes.—Mr. Phillips, the costumer from New York, nor at the Ebbitt House, has remaining a large assertment of beautiful and appropriate fancy dresses.

Temperance Hall on Wednesday evening, called "An Expedition in Search of Woman's Sphere." A portion of the proceeds are to be divided between the Catholic and Protestant Orphan Asylums.

The Police Uniforms are "a cross" between many undress and the militia costume, with a fatigue cap in no ways qualified to resist the blows of a club, as police caps generally are. The whole dress is ornamental rather than useful, and emblematical of the wearers.

PRESIDENT'S DRAWING-ROOM. -We are informed that the President of the United States will receive visitors at the Executive Mansion this evening, between the hours of eight and ten o'clock. This will probably be the last drawing-room but one of the season.

At half-past 9 o'clock yesterday morning, RICHARD C. HYATT, in the 33d year of his age.

Mr. Hyarr's illuses was protracted and painful, but he exercised a manify fortunde and throughout evidenced his unshaken confidence in the merits of his Redeemer. Funeral services will take piace in the E Street Inpitet Church on Wednesday afternoon next at 4 o'clock. The friends of the family are invited to attend.

I BEAUTHERT OF STATE, April 5, 1858.

J. Brown & Co., of Liverpool, refunded by British government are informed that a list has been furnished by that firm; and that payments will be made to those authorized to receive them on application to this department.

WASHINGTON THEATRE.—LAST NIGHT but one of the Dramatic Season.

BENEFIT OF Mrs. JOHN SLOAN.

Trispay Evening, April 6, Buckstone's comedy of MARRIED LIFE. MRS FREDERICK YOUNG HUSBAND

SLASHER AND CRASHER Wednesday.—Ticket Night, and fast one of the rease Saturday.—First Ralian Opera Night. The doors will open at 7%; performance commence at 7% April 6

WASHINGTON THEATRE-ITALIAN OPERA

MAX MARKTZEX, by which he will be enabled to give for GRAND OPERA NIGHTS, noing on Saturday, the 10th of April, and following on Monda eday, end Friday of cassing week. frouga will emission not only the amperb artists under the of Max Marcazek, but also the leading ones of the Ulina. The Operas given will probably be

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tie boxes, on lower tier, \$12 per night, or \$40 for the four oghts. Grebestra chairs \$3 per night, or \$10 for the four night. Dress Circle and Parquette (numbered) \$2 per night, or

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Anderson's Agriculture, 30 cents.
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Groen-good's Free Litter, London,
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